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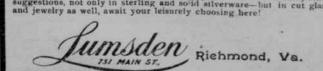
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Revival-Hunting and Fishing Notes-Personals-Etc.

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Heary Ham, colored, was committed to jail last Friday by Justice Payne for a period of 60 days for the larcency of three hogs, the property of J. B. Fritter, and required to give security in the penalty of \$100 for twelve months for his good behavior. From this judgment he took an append, and, having given security, was released from jail.

Juo. S. Martin, of Norfolk, Va., spent the week with the family of Clerk Bryan.

Mrs. C. L. Potter has returned home, after a five weeks visit to relatives in the Valley of Virginia.

Mr. Alexander Potter has accepted a position at Harper's Ferry, Va. "Zan" is missed very much by his friends here. Mrs. W. S. Towson is very ill with malarial lever. A trained nurse is attending her. Drs. Payne and Tompkins are the physicians.

Railroad ties are in great demand. The

W. Waller.

One of our local horse-dealers has nearly exhausted himself in his efforts to raise a mustache. The product seems to be a cross between a bobbed horses tall and a white wash brush. The bristles are a sight to behold.

Bass fishing is one of the things that were in Aquia Creek. One of our anglers, like "Peter" fishing all night, shed all day and never got a bite.

Mr. A E. Hoxton has returned from a ceck's visit to relatives in Washington, it was rumored he got 'foundered' whilst there, but upon examination it was discovered that such was not the act.

Scribbler.

"For three days and nights 1 suffered agony untold from an attack of cholera morbus brought on by eating cucumbers," says M. E. Lowther, clerk of the district court, Centerville, Iowa. "I thought I should surely die, and tried a dozen different medicines but all failed to no purpose, I sent for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colie, Cholera, and Diarrhoen Remedy and three doses relieved me entirely." This remedy is for sale by M. M. Lewis.

Threw Mrs Nation Out.

Mrs. Carrie Nation arrived in Austin, Texas. Friday, and in attempting to take charge of a saloon at Fith street and Congress avenue, she was thrown in the gutter. Alderman "Bill" Davis, pro-prietor of the place, was present and the reformed immediately turned her atten-tion to him. But before she had proceedreformed immediately turned her attention to him. But before she had proceeded far in her denunciation of saloon men and their occupation, Alderman Davis asked Mrs. Nation who she was and commanded her to leave the place. I am Carrie Nation, sir." she said, and was never known to leave a saloon until am good and ready." "I am sorry. Carrie, replied the proprietor, 'but it makes no difference who you are; one of us has got to go out." Mr. Davis stepped from behind the bar, and upon Mrs. Nation's second refused to vacate he caught be second refused to vacate he caught the phy the back of the neck and one arm and threw her bodily into the street and her satchel immediately followed her. After being ejected Mrs. Nation spoke on the sidewalk until the crowd was dispersed by the police. She was forced to take the train out of town to her next speak.

It Happened in a Pres Street.

It Happened in a Drug Store.

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says Mr. C. R. Grandin, the popular druggist of Outario, N. Y. "She was disappointed and wanted to know what preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend. The shing place for returning university men to her that I could freely recommend. Chamberlain's cough Remedy and that she could take a bottle of the remeds and after giving it a fair trial if she did not find it worth the money to bring back the bottle and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or two the lady came back in company with afriend in need of a cough medicine an advised her to buy aboutle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." It is for sale by M. M. Lewis.

Alumni Reccommend Hall.

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Mr. R. B. Crockett, formerly of Loudon county, but now of Fulton, N. Y., has sold his farm near Hamilton, in that county, to Mr. R. F. Reed, for \$2,225.

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Master Augustine Latane is attending the High School near Alexandria this session, and Mr. William Latane has resurred as a student to Blacksburg.

Numercous drummers are constantly in our village, and from all reports business is flourishing in the entire. Northern because the merchants too are reaping a good harvest.

Among recent visitors in this neighbor.

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We would like to see Hon, John Ryan resent speaker of the House of Dele rates, elected Governor of Virginia. Mr Ryan has been speaker of the House for Ryan has been speaker of the House for a number of terms, and has been a member of the body since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary. He has an intimate acquaintance with the affairs of the State, and his retention in his present position for so long a time go to show, that he is a man of sound sense, and one who makes lew mistakes. No son of Virginia loves her more, then does the gentleman from Loudoun, and there are few citizens of the old Commonwealth who are as much beloved. The only objection to Mr. Ryan that we have ever heard advanced from friend or foe, is, that he is an old bachelor, and won't get married. We think this objection might be remedied, and that the name of John F. Ryan be added to the names of Willard, Anderson, Ellyson, and Swanson, as gubernational candidates.—Clark Courier.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett's Work in Behalf of The Monument to Confederates Buried in

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Mr. Wille Wirt, at Wirtland, has as asstant in her school Miss Wingfield, who with Miss Boykin at Blenhiem, the home of Mr. Phil. Hungerford, will add such a visit last week to Mr. Juo V. Waller.

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MIS. DIAZ'S WARM INTEREST.

Mrs. Barrett found ready sympathy and great assistance in Mrs. Diaz, wife of the President of the republic, whom she describes as a remarkable woman, broadminded, progressive, and admirably fitted to be the companion of such a great man as is the history maker of his country. Mrs. Diaz, as wellas Mr. Diaz, is awakened to the needs of the women of that country. She is largely interested in charty, a day nursery conducted under her direction being among her charities.

The new Florence Crittenton Industrial Home, just organized in Mexico City, has on its governing board representatives of the best element of the American, Spanish, and English residents of that city Mrs. Diaz is the honorary president and Mrs. Sepulvada, wife of Judge Sepulvada, formerly associated with the Mexican Embassy in this city, is the active president. The President and the government showed their interest by allowing a large public meeting, under government patronage, to be held in the great Conservatory of Music, the property of the government, in the interest of the proposed new home. At this meeting about \$5,000 was pledged. Mr. Crittenton, the founder of the homes, gave \$1,000. It is intended to open the school at once and to conduct the institution along the same lines as those in this country and other countries.

Mr. Crittenton's LOCAL GDT.

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Mr. Crittenton has presented the Washington Home with two pieces of property in Alexandria. One of these is a fine old colonial house of about forty rooms. This will be used as a home for little children. The other house will accommodate unfortunate colored girls, for whom accommodations were lacking in this city. Heretofore these have been eared for in New York City. —Washington Post.

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Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett has just returned to this city from Mexico, where, in Mexico City, she was instrumental in having started the first Florence Critten to Home for Women. along the same lines as the institution in this city and those throughout the country, and under those throughout the country, and under the same general control. Mrs. Barrett, who is well known here and elsewhere for lines, spent four months in Mexico studying the condition of women of that country. While there she received every possible assistance and courtesy at the hands of the Mexican government and its repaired by the Dabney H. Maury Chapter, of Philadelphia. This monument is erect by the Dabney H. Maury Chapter, of Philadelphia of which Mrs. James T. Haise, the daughter of the late Gen. Laken by President Diaz.

Mrs. Barrett was appointed by the National Council of Women in the Latian and that country, where recent years have brought so many great changes. With these changes, however, has come little the country of the less known localities. She found great need of help for the women of that country, where recent years have brought so many great changes. With these changes, however, has come little the did there for all work of this kind a large one.

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